

Gulf of Alaska Halibut Mortality Report

Through: 31-DEC-03

National Marine Fisheries Service Alaska Region, Sustainable Fisheries Catch Accounting



Trawl Fisheries

Deep Water Species Complex

Season	Begin	End	Total Catch	Limit	Limit Remaining	% Taken
1st Season	20-JAN-03	01-APR-03	116	100	-16	116%
2nd Season	01-APR-03	29-JUN-03	306	300	-6	102%
3rd Season	29-JUN-03	01-SEP-03	286	400	114	72%
4th Season	01-SEP-03	30-SEP-03	29	0	-29	0%
Total:			737	800	63	92%

Shallow Water Species Complex

Season	Begin	End	Total Catch	Limit	Limit Remaining	% Taken
1st Season	20-JAN-03	01-APR-03	275	450	175	61%
2nd Season	01-APR-03	29-JUN-03	351	100	-251	351%
3rd Season	29-JUN-03	01-SEP-03	145	200	55	72%
4th Season	01-SEP-03	30-SEP-03	299	150	-149	199%
Total:			1,069	900	-169	119%

Year-To-Date

Account	Total Catch	Limit	Limit Remaining	% Taken	Last Wk Catch
Trawl Fishery	2,085	2,000	-85	104%	0

Other Hook-and-Line Fisheries

Season	Begin	End	Total Catch	Limit	Limit Remaining	% Taken
1st Season	01-JAN-03	10-JUN-03	227	250	23	91%
2nd Season	10-JUN-03	01-SEP-03	31	5	-26	614%
3rd Season	01-SEP-03	31-DEC-03	33	35	2	94%
			290	290	0	100%

Deep-water species complex: sablefish, rockfish, deep-water flatfish, rex sole and arrowtooth flounder. Shallow-water species complex: pollock, Pacific cod, shallow-water flatfish, flathead sole, Atka mackerel, and 'other species'.

No apportionment between shallow-water and deep-water fishery complexes during October 1 to December 31 (300 mt allocated).

Other hook-and-line fisheries means all hook-and-line fisheries except sablefish and demersal shelf rockfish in the Southeast District. The hook-and-line sablefish fishery is exempt from halibut bycatch restrictions.

Halibut mortality for the demersal shelf rockfish fishery, Southeast District is not listed due to insufficient observer coverage.

Note: All weights are in metric tons.

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Data is based on observer reports, extrapolated to total groundfish harvest. Estimates for all weeks may change due to incorporation of late or corrected data.